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THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
Kingston, Rhode Island

FACULTY SENATE
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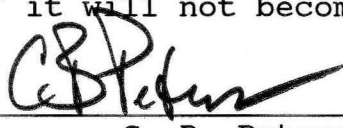
Adopted by the Faculty Senate

TO: President Edward D. Eddy

FROM: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

1. The attached BILL, titled The Two Hundred and Sixty-Fifth Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee, is forwarded for your consideration.
2. The original and two copies for your use are included.
3. This BILL was adopted by vote of the Faculty Senate on February 22, 1990.
(date)
4. After considering this bill, will you please indicate your approval or disapproval. Return the original or forward it to the Board of Governors, completing the appropriate endorsement below.
5. In accordance with Section 10, paragraph 4 of the Senate's By- Laws, this bill will become effective March 15, 1990, three weeks after Senate approval, unless: (1) specific dates for implementation are written into the bill; (2) you return it disapproved; (3) you forward it to the Board of Governors for their approval; or (4) the University Faculty petitions for a referendum. If the bill is forwarded to the Board of Governors, it will not become effective until approved by the Board.

February 23, 1990
(date)


C. B. Peters
Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

ENDORSEMENT

TO: Chairperson of the Faculty Senate

FROM: President of the University

Returned.

- a. Approved ☒.
- b. Approved subject to final approval by Board of Governors _____.
- c. Disapproved _____.

3/4/90
(date)


President

THE UNIVERSITY OF RHODE ISLAND
Kingston, Rhode Island

FACULTY SENATE

February 5, 1990

The Two Hundred and Sixty-Fifth Report
of the Curricular Affairs Committee

At its meeting of January 29, 1990, the Curricular Affairs Committee considered the following matters now presented to the Faculty Senate.

S E C T I O N I

Informational Matters

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of Geology

a. CHANGE: Description for the following courses:

- 1) GEL 100 by deleting "local issues emphasized."
- 2) GEL 106 by replacing "topographic map interpretation" with "topographic map and air photograph interpretation."

b. CHANGE: Description and prerequisite for GEL 105 to read:

GEL 105 Geological Earth Science (I and II, 3) Introductory study for nongeology majors. Topics covered include vulcanism, earthquakes, mountain-building, ice ages, history of earth, plate tectonics, environmental geology and planetary geology. (Lec. 3) Not open to students with credit in 103. Staff (N)

c. CHANGE: Prerequisite for GEL 370 to "Pre: 103; PHY 213 and 285 or PHY 111 and 185."

2. Department of History

CHANGE: Title and description for the following courses:

- 1) HIS 332 History of Russia (I, 3) Russian society, politics and world view from the Muscovite order of the seventeenth century to the late Imperial period.

Heavy emphasis on informal writing by students, analyzing documents, trends, interconnections. (Lec. 3) Thurston (F) (L)

- 2) HIS 333 History of the Soviet Union (II, 3) From industrialization and regrouping in the 1890's, an examination of the new political and economic system that emerged from revolutions and civil war. Literature studied as forum for debate about the just society. Regular informal writing (Lec. 3) Thurston (F) (L)

3. Department of Philosophy

CHANGE: Description for PHL 103 by replacing "Not open to students with credit for or currently enrolled in 104" with "Not open to students who have earned 9 or more credits in philosophy."

4. Department of Zoology

CHANGE: Description and method of instruction for ZOO 327:

ZOO 327 Vertebrate Histology (I, 3) A study of the normal microscopic organization of the cells and tissues that compose the organ systems of vertebrates. An introduction of histochemical and cytochemical methods included. (Lec. 3) Pre: one year of biological sciences and one semester of organic chemistry. Goertemiller

B. College of Resource Development

Department of Resource Development Education:

ADD: The following temporary courses:

- 1) RDE 200X Introduction to the Transfer of Technology in the Land Grant University (II, 3) Introduction to concepts and techniques utilized in the transfer of technology to various publics. Topics to include understanding community development, the Cooperative Extension system and similar resource development agencies; career opportunities and their requirements. McCreight and Abedon

- 2) RDE 300X Introduction to Global Issues in Resource Development (I, 3) Describes the role of the United States in development assistance to foreign nations. Topics include: Foreign aid, resource development, transfer of technology and international development career opportunities and requirements. McCreight and Abedon

C. "Permission of..." Prerequisites*

1. CHANGE: Prerequisites for the following courses by deleting permission of instructor, permission of department or permission of chairperson:

ART 213	FST 321	MIC 496
ASP 281	FST 380	MSC 310
ASP 401	FST 391	MSC 320
ASP 483	FST 392	MSC 330
ASP 486	FST 415	MSC 340
AVS 343	FST 421	PCG 445
AVS 462	FST 431	PCG 446
AVS 463	FST 480	PCG 447
AVS 491	MIC 403	PCG 459
AVS 492	MIC 405	PCG 497
ELE 205	MIC 483	PCG 498
ELE 437	MIC 495	TMD 406

2. CHANGE: Prerequisites for the following courses by replacing and with or before permission of instructor, permission of department or permission of chairperson:

ART 405
CNS 457
CNS 477
CNS 478
SOC 420

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S E C T I O N II

Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

A. College of Arts and Sciences

1. Department of English

CHANGE: WRT 101A and WRT 101B by combining into WRT 101 with a single description:

* Approved pending Faculty Senate approval on February 1, 1990 of Section IV of the 264th Report of the CAC.

WRT 101 Composition (I, II, and SS, 3)
Practice in the organization of ideas
and language skills. Emphasizes steps
in the writing process and responses to
readings to develop ability, confidence
and clarity in writing. Not open to
students who have completed CMS 101.
Not for English major credit. (Lec. 3)
Staff

2. Department of Philosophy

- a. CHANGE: Level and number for PHL 104 to PHL 204 and description by deleting "Not open to students with credit in or concurrently enrolled in 103."
- b. CHANGE: Level and number for the following courses:
 - 1) PHL 110 to PHL 210 Women and Moral Rights
 - 2) PHL 117 to PHL 217 Social Philosophy
 - 3) PHL 312 to PHL 212 Ethics
- c. DELETE: The following courses:
 - 1) RLS 227 Augustine's Confessions
 - 2) RLS 327 Classical Religious Thinkers
- d. CHANGE: Requirements for the B.A. in Philosophy to read as follows:

Students selecting this field must complete no less than 30 credit hours in philosophy. Students must take at least one course from each of the following: Logic (101, 451), and Ethics (212, 314, 414). They must take both Metaphysics (341) and Epistemology (342), plus at least two history of philosophy courses (321 to 324), and at least one course on the 400-level or above. The remaining 9 credit hours may be chosen freely from the list of PHL courses offered by the department. However, students planning graduate work are advised to take PHL 451.

3. Department of Sociology and Anthropology

CHANGE: Requirements for B.S. in Sociology:

- 1) Public Policy and Organizational Analysis Option by changing footnote for EST 308 and 412, CSC 201 to read:

EST 308 and 412, CSC 201@

@MGS 201 and 202 may be substituted for EST 308 and 412 and MGS 207 may be substituted for CSC 201 if student transfers into the B.S. program with these completed.

- 2) Organizational Analysis Option by adding "and either BSL 333 or" before "MGT 408" and "or MGT 453" after "MGT 408." The requirement to read:

MGT 301, 302, 306, 380, 407 and either BSL 333 or MGT 408 or MGT 453.

4. Department of Speech Communication

CHANGE: SPE 310 from a regular to an open-ended course.

5. Department of Zoology

ADD: ZOO 329 Vertebrate Histology Laboratory (I, 1) A detailed study in the laboratory of prepared microscope slides of cells and tissues of vertebrates. (Lab. 3) Pre: previous or concurrent registration in 327. Goertemiller

B. Section 8.81.62 of the UNIVERSITY MANUAL

In accordance with section 8.81.62 of the UNIVERSITY MANUAL, the Curricular Affairs Committee recommends the following:

1. DELETE: The following courses which have not been taught for at least four years:

APG 409	MCH 355
CHE 471	MTH 141L
EDC 441	PSY 397
HED 479	PSY 398
HED 491	PSY 450
HIS 325	SOC 210
HIS 379	SOC 426

- *2. RETAIN: For two additional years the following courses:

APG 405	PHL 453
GEL 101	SOC 402
HCF 433	SOC 414
HIS 357	SOC 428
HIS 358	SOC 452
MCE 392	THE 420
MKT 416	TMD 358
PED 160	

- * The Curricular Affairs Committee will recommend in Fall 1992 the deletion of any of the above courses which have not been taught by the first semester 1992.

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S E C T I O N I I I

Joint Report of the Curricular Affairs Committee and Graduate Council on 400-Level Courses

At the Curricular Affairs Committee's meetings of December 11, 1989 and January 29, 1990 and the Graduate Council's meeting of January 19, 1990, the following matters were considered and are now presented to the Faculty Senate.

A. Informational Matters

College of Arts and Sciences

Department of Music

ADD: MUS 425X Selected Topics in Music Analysis (SS, 3) Study of music utilizing various theoretical approaches including traditional, layer, and/or integral analysis. Topics vary by semester. (Two-week workshop and three weeks of independent study.) Pre: 317 and knowledge of music history. May be repeated for credit. Summer Session 1990: Puccini's Verismo. Gibbs

B. Curricular Matters Which Require Confirmation by the Faculty Senate

College of Arts and Sciences

a. Department of Journalism

*CHANGE: Grading method for the following courses to S/U only":

- a) JOR 461 Internships in Print Journalism
- b) JOR 462 Internships in Broadcasting

b. Department of Languages

CHANGE: Level and number for SPA 410 to SPA 310, credits to "1-6" and prerequisite to "Pre: 104 or permission of instructor."

c. Department of Zoology

*ADD: ZOO 491, 492 Research in Animal Biology (I, II or SS, 1-3) Undergraduate research in an area of animal biology. Individual or group guided research. A proposal must be approved by a faculty member and the department chairperson. Not for graduate credit. Staff